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Lays For Midnight Prowlers Sunday

Merchant Shoots Robber of Store

Unknown White Man Believed to
Have Been Wounded by P. L.
Culler Monday.

An unknown white man is believed to have been shot and seriously wounded shortly after 1 o'clock Monday morning when he attempted to rob the grocery store of P. L. Culler on Greer street. Two shots were fired by Mr. Culler from the interior of the store building and it is apparent that at least one of the bullets took effect.

Shortly before 9 o'clock Sunday night, only a few minutes after Culler's store had been closed for the day, Mr. Culler was informed that robbers had attempted to enter his store. Hurrying to the building, the merchant discovered a hole in the front, but investigation disclosed that no merchandise had been taken. Believing that the intruders would again return, Mr. Culler decided to conceal himself in the building for the night. He armed himself with a shot gun and revolver and sat in the back of the store. About 1 o'clock footsteps and whispers were heard on the outside.

One man, according to Mr. Culler's story, entered the building through the window. At this juncture the merchant commanded that the robber hold up his hands, but the order was not obeyed by the ruffian, who put his hand in his pocket and was in the act of bringing a revolver into play when Mr. Culler fired. The unknown man fell through the window, at the same time exclaiming that he was shot, but when the merchant reached the front the robber and his confederate were hurrying away. Mr. Culler fired again, but owing to the distance of the men from the store, it is not believed the shot took effect. A pool of blood on the front indicated that the man was hit by the first shot.

The police were notified and are still searching for the robbers, but this will be rather difficult as Mr. Culler was unable to get a good view of them in the dark.

Miss Grace Motsinger is Bride of Hubert Payne

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Motsinger announce the marriage of their daughter, Grace Leora, on Wednesday evening, May 11, at 7:30, to Hubert Payne, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Payne, both of High Point.

The ceremony took place at the home of Rev. G. H. Moton, of High Point. Only a few relatives and friends were present. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Payne took the train for an extended trip to Asheville. The bride was dressed in a blue coat suit with accessories to match.

Those present were Mrs. E. H. and Beulah Moton, Ernest Burton, Miss Clara Payne, Gorrell Payne, Miss Pearl Motsinger, Keck Boon, Miss Fleta Motsinger, William Payne, Miss Bertha Burton.

Automobile Turns Over, Two Injured

Mrs. Eula Croft and John Thomas were painfully injured late Sunday afternoon when an automobile in which they and Miss Mamie Whitt, Walter Whitt and a small child were riding, turned turtle near Danbury.

According to information concerning the accident, the party had gone to Danbury to carry a relative and were returning to High Point when the automobile slipped on the road and turned over three times. Each of the quintet was injured, but none seriously, it was reported.

Mrs. A. A. Gordon Dies at Ripe Age

Well Known Guilford County Woman
Passed Away Saturday.

The funeral of Mrs. Elvina Swaim Gordon, wife of A. A. Gordon, who died Saturday at her home on the Greensboro road, was conducted Monday morning at 10 o'clock by Rev. J. M. Hilliard, of this city. The interment was in Oakwood cemetery here. Pall bearers were as follows: C. C. Muse, L. O. Willard, P. P. Kimery, Ed. J. Welch, E. E. Spencer and T. A. Payne.

Mrs. Gordon was one of Guilford county's oldest and best known women. She was 81 years of age, having been born on March 18, 1840. In addition to the husband, she is survived by one sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Mendenhall, of Archdale; five children, J. M. Gordon, W. P. Gordon and A. L. Gordon, all of High Point; two daughters, Mrs. W. F. Chadwick, of Jamestown, and Mrs. J. C. Bowling, of Greensboro.

Mrs. Gordon joined the Missionary Baptist church in her childhood and later moved her membership to the First Baptist church here, where she had been a faithful and loyal member.

If you haven't taken 'em off yet you might just as well keep them on for the rest of the summer.

A widower doesn't wait until the spring time to let his fancy lightly turn to thoughts of love.

Another Battle of Secret Ballots, and

Officers for City Elected Tuesday

At a meeting of the City Council Tuesday night the following officers were elected:

City Manager—R. L. Pickett.
City Attorney—Dred Peacock.
Recorder—Walter Royal.
Prosecuting Attorney—T. W. Albertson.
City Collector—W. L. Smith.
Superintendent of Streets—J. D. Koontz.
Chief of Police—L. W. Blackwelder.

The superintendent of lights and water and the various policemen were not named Tuesday night.

Cummings Will be Executive Officer

Frederic A. Cummings will be local executive of High Point community service if the recommendations made by the board of directors at its meeting Friday night are accepted by the executive committee of the local organization. The directors agreed that the work of Mr. Cummings had been satisfactory and that a more capable official for permanent work here could not be found.

The executive committee has not yet held its meeting, but it is expected to go into conference soon and reach some decision. That the body will vote to employ Mr. Cummings was thought highly probable by those in close touch with members of the committee.

The community service organizer came to High Point several months ago, having been sent here from New York by the national organization. He has had no inconsiderable experience in community service work, which enables him to satisfactorily fill the place in this city.

The meeting Friday night was marked by large attendance and enthusiasm. Despite the inclement weather a large number of the directors attended and discussed the program of activities for High Point. A. E. Tate, president of the organization, presided.

A report from Walter Hargett, chairman of the campaign to raise funds for community service, showed that more than \$3,000 had been secured since the drive was launched. Efforts are being made to raise \$5,000 and secure a large membership. Several citizens have voluntarily doubled their subscriptions, it was learned. Steve Clark told the directors that he would gladly donate office space and telephone service for community service.

Officers of the High Point community service are as follows:
A. E. Tate, president; Mrs. Willis H. Slane, secretary; W. L. Hargett, treasurer.

Board of directors—J. Allen Austin, J. Worth Bacon, S. R. Bivens, Dr. George R. Brown, G. W. Clark, Mrs. R. T. Chappell, Rev. C. P. Coble, Mrs. W. A. Copeland, Miss Clara Cox, J. Elwood Cox, Joseph D. Cox, S. L. Davis, J. J. Farriss, E. W. Freeze, T. J. Gold, Mrs. Frank Gurley, Walter L. Hargett, David Harris, Charles Hoertel, W. C. Idol, V. A. J. Idol, Eli Ingram, Mrs. W. C. Jones, Grover Kerr, Gurney King, B. W. Kirkman, Rev. W. A. Lambeth, Rev. Roy E. Leinbach, Dr. W. J. McAnally, Dr. I. T. Mann, W. M. Marr, O. E. Mendenhall, J. Ed. Millis, C. C. Muse, C. C. Robbins, W. G. Shipman, Mrs. E. M. Shipman, Mrs. Willis H. Slane, Mrs. R. C. Soyars, Dr. D. A. Stanton, W. L. Stamey, James T. Stewart, Mrs. J. H. Tate, F. N. Tate, Mrs. Wm. Tate, P. A. Thomas, C. F. Tomlinson.

Executive committee—The executive committee is made up of the officers of the organization, the chairmen of standing committees and fifteen members of the board of directors as follows:

J. Allen Austin, Mrs. W. A. Copeland, J. Elwood Cox, Mrs. C. Dunbar, J. J. Farriss, David Harris, W. C. Idol, V. A. J. Idol, Mrs. W. C. Jones, Rev. W. A. Lambeth, W. M. Carr, W. G. Shipman, W. L. Stamey, F. N. Tate.

Finance committee—Dr. D. A. Stanton, chairman; W. C. Idol, V. A. J. Idol, Walter Hargett, W. G. Shipman, David Harris, E. W. Freeze, A. E. Tate, ex-officio.

Chairmen of standing committees—Community music, Jos. D. Cox; playgrounds, W. M. Marr; community celebrations, E. W. Freeze; yards and gardens, H. A. Millis; publicity, C. P. Coble.

Series of Meetings
To Begin Here Soon

Rev. Claude C. Jones, pastor of the Christian church (Disciples) at Greensboro, filled his appointment in the Junior order hall here Sunday afternoon, preaching interesting sermon on "Mother's Day."

At the meeting Sunday plans were completed for a series of meetings to begin in the Harriss hall on Washington street next Monday night at 8 o'clock.

The girls may not know it, but a kiss is much sweeter when it is not flavored with talcum powder.

A fair price is what you charge the other fellow. An unfair price is what he charges you.

THE TAMBOURINE GIRL



Photo by Paul Parker, N. Y.
THE Doughnut Girl of wartime has doffed her khaki and donned the familiar blue. Today she is serving just as valiantly as ever as The Tambourine Girl of the city's slums, the angel of the tenements and the guardian of the poor. Instead of the doughboy, the poverty-stricken, distressed, the sick and the unfortunate know her now and call her blessed. Oh, boy, she's still the Girl—in peace as well as in war!

Barber Will Head Sabbath Schools

High Point Man Named President of
Township Sunday School
Association

Rev. W. A. Barber, of this city, was elected president of the High Point Township Sunday School Association, which held a convention Sunday at Deep River church. Rev. Mr. Barber succeeds Edgar Whitener, who has served for the past year as head of the organization.

Following reports from the 13 schools representative, Mrs. W. W. Flagg, of Jamestown, director of religious education in Guilford county, made an inspiring talk principally on how to conduct junior and primary classes.

D. W. Sims, of Raleigh, general superintendent of the North Carolina Sunday School association, was present for the occasion and addressed the assembly. Mr. Sims is a wide-awake Sunday school worker and his address Sunday was interesting. He told his hearers many essential things for Sunday school work. An attractive place, live program, a definite different program each Sunday and a visit were mentioned as some of the things that go to make up a real live Sunday school class. The speaker made the suggestion that superintendents and teachers visit other schools and learn new ideas. He also stressed the fact that each Sunday school should use all the people possible; in other words, the superintendent should give the scholars a place in the life of the institution.

The orchestra from Wesley Memorial Episcopal church was present and furnished delightful music.

The nominating committee submitted the list of officers for the ensuing year and each was elected by the assembly. Following is the list:

Rev. W. A. Barber, president; J. W. Clinard, vice-president; Miss Nesbie Smith, secretary and treasurer. The executive board is composed of J. P. Laffoon, chairman; W. B. Hall, G. Y. Stone, E. M. Shipman and Mrs. E. E. Spencer.

Miss Lottie Barber acted as secretary at the convention Sunday.

Gen. Pershing Will Be Made Chief of Staff

Will Remain Head of General Headquarters But Will Be Relieved of
Routine Duties

Washington, May 13.—General Pershing, since the end of the war nominally the head of the army, but actually without any important duties or authority, will become chief of the general staff and the actual head of the army July 1, Secretary Weeks announced today. On that day he will relieve Maj. Gen. Peyton C. Marshall, the present chief of staff.

In addition to his new duties General Pershing will remain head of the general headquarters or war staff of the army, a post recently created for him. He will have as assistant chief of the general staff his old friend and chief of staff in France, Maj. Gen. James G. Harbord, who will relieve Maj. Gen. William M. Wright, the present executive assistant.

'Squire Andrews is in New Office Here

Justice of the Peace R. E. Andrews has opened offices at 109 West Washington street, opposite Sheriff Wagner's office. Mr. Andrews' telephone is No. 488. He is also a notary public.

Postoffice Employees Have Guns to Protect Uncle Sam's Mail

Persons who in the future attempt to rob the mails at the High Point postoffice may come in contact with regular United States army Colt's automatic pistol, employees at the local office having been equipped with the weapons, which were received from the postmaster J. J. Farriss last week by Postmaster J. J. Farriss.

Along with the pistols were sent holsters, belts and a quantity of ammunition to guard the mails for a time. Employees at the postoffice, should it be absolutely necessary for them to resort to such means in order to protect Uncle Sam's property from any gang of ruffians, will shoot to kill.

Information that the revolvers would be supplied here was received from postoffice officials several days ago. Decision to supply employees of the government with the pistols was reached after reports of many robberies were received in Washington.

It is learned here that a recent decision holds that government employees handling mails are not required to secure permits from state or municipal authorities in order to carry revolvers, but they may have them when on duty.

Night employees at the High Point postoffice will be especially cautious, as directed by the department at Washington and any persons who might attempt to molest Uncle Sam's mails had better be prepared to face death.

Plan to Entertain Educational Board

Local College Committee Meet and
Plan for Entertainment

Plans for entertaining the board of education of the North Carolina conference, Methodist Protestant church, when that body comes to High Point Friday and selects the location for the denominational college, were discussed at a meeting of the local committee Monday night in the chamber of commerce rooms.

High Point expects to leave no stone unturned in an effort to make the stay of the visitors pleasant and to convince them that the Furniture City wants the college established here.

The board of education of the conference, headed by Dr. R. M. Andrews, of Greensboro, will visit High Point Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock and will be guests at a reception in the Commercial club building. After hearing this city's claim for the college, the board, it is expected, will go into conference and later announce its decision.

The local committee will hold another meeting Thursday night and complete all arrangements for entertainment of the board while it is here.

Burlington, Greensboro and High Point are making bids for the co-educational institution. The board of education will visit Burlington bright and early Friday morning to hear the claims of that municipality. Several hours later it will hear that Greensboro has to offer and shortly after 12 o'clock the members of the board will drive into High Point.

Every now and then you will find a man who is so busy that he hasn't got time to worry about hard times.

No; we do not know what will be the price of cotton next fall. And if we did know we would not tell.

Good Progress by This Organization

A Month's Work at the Y. W. C. A.

Among the many interesting statements contained in the monthly report of the Y. W. C. A. in High Point for April are the following, showing that the Association has a very diversified program and is trying to do a comprehensive work with the girls.

An Athletic Association was organized after an evening's recreation by girls who had been attending the gymnasium class. A president and secretary were elected and 35 members were enrolled. The aim of the Association is to promote outdoor activities, such as basketball teams, tennis, outings, volley ball and hikes. They meet at the Hut once a week.

The Rainbow Club, which consists of girls in industry, is trying to make money to send delegates to the industrial Conference at Brevard, N. C., from June 18 to 28. The girls are very much interested in the conference and had planned a box supper for Thursday night, May 12th, but had to postpone it because one of the officers of the club was sick. It is to be held this Thursday, however, and a large attendance is expected. All members of the Girl Reserves clubs are busy with plans to make money to send girls to the Girls' Work Conference at Sweetbriar, Va. Each club sold drinks, ice-cream and sandwiches at the booth on the Chautauqua ground during the week of Chautauqua, and raised a respectable sum of somewhere around \$100 for that purpose.

Members of the High School clubs are selling tickets for a movie for their conference. Ten per cent of all receipts are to go into the treasury of the club if 500 tickets are sold.

Meetings were held at noon at the Stehli Silk Mills and the Piedmont Mills during the week of the Christian Life campaign. Mrs. Barr gave some interesting talks to both men and women which were much appreciated.

The calls for rooms are increasing. Men as well as many women turn to the Y. W. C. A. for assistance in finding anything from a night's lodging to light housekeeping rooms. Girls seeking employment look to the Y. W. C. A. secretary to help them find positions, and as many as seven have been located in the past month.

It is a pleasure to have the young girls from the Durham Hosier mill use the Y. W. C. A. rooms during the hours they are off duty. They enjoy the piano and victrola, and have dipped into the books. Miss Owen hopes they will continue to come, and bring many friends.

The Y hut has many duties in addition to taking care of the girls and young women of High Point. Many other organizations have made use of its hospitality, and found its kitchen arrangements, its china, and its cheerful club room a boon in a town where there is absolutely no other place for women to meet. Men have not disdained it either. Among those who have had meetings at the Hut during the past month are the Woman's Club, the Rotary Club, the Y. P. B. of the W. C. T. U., the Builders, Sunday School class of the South Main Methodist church, and the Christian Endeavor of the Presbyterian church, and there have been many social gatherings, including a senior reception.

Miss Van Horn, representing the Industrial Department of the National Board, and Miss Louise Lennard, Industrial Secretary for the South Atlantic Field, were in High Point during the first week of April and while here they met with several of the girls employed in industrial establishments and made plans for a Business Woman's Council which will include representatives from all of the Y. W. C. A. clubs. They visited several of the factories and were very much interested in learning the number of girls that are employed in industry in High Point.

Girls from the Blue-Bird Band, the Elm Street club and South Main Street clubs have been hiking during the month, with consequent improvement in their complexions and outlook.

The new piano is proving very popular and the entire Y. W. C. A. membership is very grateful to the Business and Professional Women's club for placing it in the Club room. The senior girls who act as advisers of the clubs are doing excellently, rendering invaluable assistance with the work with younger girls, and are becoming real leaders of the Y. W. C. A. in this city.

A good many women from Archdale, Deep River and from across town frequently use the Hut for a rest room, and to meet their friends, and are more than welcome.

A millinery class has been organized among the girls from the Sterli Silk Mill by a request from the members of their club.

Since placing the sign of the Y. W. C. A. in the station many people have come to the Hut wanting information and aid in almost every conceivable way. It is felt that it is becoming better and better known as an organization for service in High Point, and service that can be stretched to almost limitless lengths. The Y. W. C. A. is truly, as its posters state, "in service for the girls of the world."

This report of a month's activities should convince the people of High Point, when the Y. W. C. A. campaign commences next week, that there is a great service being rendered to the community by the organization.

We Will Extend the Keys to City

High Point Entertains T. P. A. Convention in 1922; Bragg President

Convention Passes Resolutions to
Avoid Hotels That Insist on
Charging High Rates.

High Point will entertain the 26th annual convention of the state division, Travelers Protective Association of America, and J. C. Bragg, of Raleigh, will serve the association as president. The last day of the convention which began Friday morning, was the most strenuous and, old members say, the stormiest in the history of the state association. It closed very delightfully, however, the delegates being guests of the local post at a banquet last night, at which Governor Morrison was the chief speaker. An interesting follow-up of the convention will be a sermon by Dr. Chas. F. Myers at the First Presbyterian church.

Tenseness centered around the question of increasing salary of D. C. Crutchfield, of Winston-Salem, the election of a president, and the discussion of rates charged by some hotels. There was an element in the convention which appeared to believe that steam-roller methods were being used, and contests were frequent and heated.

Greer Escapes From Guards.

Kent Greer escaped from the state prison farm in Virginia last week and at present is at large. He was reported to have been in High Point last of the week. A reward of \$50 is offered for his capture.

Funeral is Held For E. M. Brower

Prominent High Point Merchant Died
At His Home Here Early
Sunday Morning.

Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock a large number of friends and relatives attended the funeral of E. M. Brower, well known and highly esteemed High Point citizen, who died Sunday morning at 7 o'clock at his home here.

Mr. Brower, who was 45 years of age, had been a resident of this city for many years and the news of his death came as a great shock to his friends here. For several years he had conducted a mercantile establishment on the corner of North Main and West Washington streets. Surviving are the widow and one child.

The funeral Monday afternoon was conducted by Rev. George R. Brown, pastor of the First Methodist Protestant church, and Rev. W. A. Lambeth, of Wesley Memorial Methodist Episcopal. The interment followed in Oakwood cemetery.

Pall bearers were W. C. Jones, V. W. Idol, Odell Lindsay, W. C. Beavens, B. M. Hedgecock and W. Francis Staley.

The hut is a real center for good times, educational classes, and spiritual development, and the one secretary who has charge there does wonders in making everybody feel at home, and in keeping the various clubs and classes and associations distinct but friendly. No one of them can monopolize the club room. It is for all, and when the Hut overflows, as it often does—serious meetings are held out on the porch or even on the front steps. It is the club for the girls of High Point, their own place, and they know this and love it accordingly. Parents who know their daughters are at the Y. W. C. A. are not those who are worried about their future. They know that they are in wholesome surroundings, learning no evil, but alert to take advantage of the many opportunities that are at hand. A place of this kind is invaluable to any town, if only for its social possibilities, but when there is allied to this the Christian aspects of the work, and the humanizing and uplifting character of its whole program it would seem to be an investment that would bring in splendid returns. The Y. W. C. A. is asking, next week, for the \$15,000 which is necessary to maintain its present work and enlarge in many directions the scope of its activities, among which the cafeteria which is being installed on Main street, will be of immense service to the community. The money spent on equipping the cafeteria is partly what would in an ordinary restaurant be paid out in waiters' wages, but in the cafeteria form of restaurant is counted as equipment. This cafeteria should be a blessing to many transients in the town as well as to many business people who are unable to go home to their meals.

The budget also provides for two additional secretaries, one for the younger girls and the other to work in the factories and at the association with the girls employed in the various industries—a work which has been permitted to slacken recently because of the lack of a secretary to attend to it.

The girls are here and the Y confidently presents its past achievements in High Point and its future plans to the community in the expectation that every citizen will come forward to help carry on a work which has proved itself of such far-reaching value to the town at large.